

CLAIMS

1. A print buffer unit temporally storing print data to be printed on a printer, comprising:
 - a data-storing section storing the print data;
 - 5 a print-image creating section creating a print image from the print data; and
 - a print-image displaying section displaying the print image.
2. The print buffer unit according to Claim 1, further comprising:
 - a print-data modifying section modifying the print data.
3. The print buffer unit according to Claim 2, wherein the print-data modifying section comprises at least one of
 - 15 print-sequence changing means for changing the sequence of printing of the print data, print-data duplicating means for duplicating the print data, and print-data deleting means for deleting the print data.
- 20 4. The print buffer unit according to Claim 2, wherein the print-data modifying section comprises print-image modifying means for modifying the print image.
- 25 5. The print buffer unit according to Claim 3, wherein the print-data modifying section further comprises print-image modifying means for modifying the print image.
6. The print buffer unit according to Claim 1, wherein

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the print-image displaying section is capable of maintaining displayed content even after power supply is cut.

7. The print buffer unit according to Claim 2, wherein

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8. The print buffer unit according to Claim 3, wherein

10 the print-image displaying section is capable of maintaining displayed content even after power supply is cut.

9. The print buffer unit according to Claim 4, wherein

the print-image displaying section is capable of maintaining displayed content even after power supply is cut.

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10. The print buffer unit according to Claim 5, wherein

the print-image displaying section is capable of maintaining displayed content even after power supply is cut.

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11. The print buffer unit according to Claim 1, wherein

the print-image creating section creates the print image split into at least two parts; and

the print-image displaying section merges the split parts of the print image into one and displays the print image.

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12. The print buffer unit according to Claim 10, wherein

the print-image creating section creates the print image split into at least two parts; and

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the print-image displaying section merges the split parts of the print image into one and displays the print image.

13. The print buffer unit according to Claim 1, wherein
5 the print buffer unit is driven by a portable power source.

14. The print buffer unit according to Claim 12, wherein
the print buffer unit is driven by a portable power source.

10 15. A print system comprising:

a print buffer unit, printable data being input to the print buffer unit; and

a printer, wherein

15 the print buffer unit creates a print image from the data and displays the print image;

the print buffer unit sends the data to the printer, the data being modified so as to change the print image; and

the printer prints on the basis of the data.